



Secondary CTE Journalism and Broadcasting

Applicant

Legal name:

Date:

Requirements

U.S. Service Member Applicants may meet content knowledge and experience requirements as follows:

- U.S. Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, Navy or Space Force members: three or more years' active duty
- Guard/Reserves: 10 years' experience, or five years' experience with 12 months active-duty deployment
- Military Occupational Specialty (MOS), time of service and an honorable discharge must be verified on a DD-214 member copy 4 (submitted in application)

All other applicants must meet all requirements outlined in 1 and 2 below:

1. Content Knowledge:

- 24 semester hours of related postsecondary coursework verified on an official transcript to include a minimum of three (3) semester hours of content coursework in **three** (3) of the areas listed in the table below **OR**
- Hold a valid and current state or national industry license or certification issued by the Society of Broadcast Engineers (operator, broadcast networking, engineering level or specialist), a media credential from a news organization, or professional membership in the National Press Photographers Association.

2. Occupational Experience:

Credit for student teaching (up to 800 hours) in the content area may be applied to either occupational or teaching experience

- Bachelor's or higher degree: 2,000 hours of verified occupational (non-teaching) experience in the content area **OR**
- Less than a bachelor's degree: 4,000 hours of verified occupational (non-teaching) experience in the content area **OR**
- Three (3) years' verified teaching experience in the content area (full-time is defined as 51% or more of a teaching schedule dedicated to teaching in the content area).

Content coursework (min. 3 semester hours in 3 areas)	Coursework	Semester Hours
Communications/language arts		
Audio/video technology		
Political science		
Broadcasting		
Journalism		
Printing/publishing		
Digital arts/multimedia		
Total semester hours (24 semester hours required):		
Up to a maximum of six (6) semester hours of professional development may serve in lieu of coursework in the "content coursework" section above) and must be documented within the application. (15 contact hours = 1 semester hour)		